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SUBJ: BOMBING OF US CONSULATE ISHAHAN

1. CONSUL MC GAFFEY IN ISHAHAN HAS JUST INFORMED US BY
TELEPHONE THAT PIPE BOMB WAS THROWN OVER REAR WALL OF CONSULATE/
RESIDENCE COMPOUND AT 2330 HOURS LOCAL TIME. NO ONE INJURED.
BOMB WAS APPARENTLY LOW CHARGE AND ONLY SUPERFICIAL DAMAGE CAUSED
TO STRUCTURE. FRAGMENTS OF BOMB RECOVERED.

2. ISHAHAN POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING AND POLICE SECURITY AROUND
CONSULATE/RESIDENCE HAS BEEN REINFORCED. EMBASSY SECURITY OFFICER
WILL GO TO ISHAHAN FIRST AVAILABLE FLIGHT AUGUST 2 AND HAS IN
MEANTIME GOT IN TOUCH WITH IRANIAN NATIONAL POLICE HERE.

3. THS IS FIRST CLEARLY ANTI-AMERICAN INCIDENT IN ISHAHAN
IN RECENT DEMONSTRATIONS AND RIOTS. MC GAFFEY BELIEVES PREVIOUSLY
REPORTED INCIDENTS INVOLVING GRUMMAN BUS AND PRIVATE AMERICAN
CAR WERE SIMPLY CASES OF THESE VEHICLES BEING CAUGHT UP IN
STREET DEMONSTRATIONS.
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